

## Message Text

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ACTION MC-02

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ISO-00 PM-04 NSC-05 SP-02 SS-15  
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FM AMEMBASSY LAGOS  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 1667  
INFO USDOC WASHDC  
DOD - ASD/ISA

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STATE FOR MUNITIONS CONTROL

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: MASS, NI  
SUBJECT: BOING CORPORATION HELICOPTERS TO NIGERIAN AIR FORCE

REF: (A) STATE 91905, (B) LAGOS 3308

1. AMBASSADOR HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM J. A. OLATUNJI,  
PERMANENT SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF DEFENCE, PROPOSING TO PURCHASE  
7 CHINOCK CH-47C HELICOPTERS FOR LOGISTICAL PURPOSES. OLATUNJI  
REQUESTS URGENT HANDLING OF GOVERNMENT TO GOVERNMENT DRAFT  
SALES AGREEMENT.

2. SPECIFICATIONS, CONFIGURATION AND OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT FOR  
AIRCRAFT CONTAINED IN BOEING VERTOL SPECIFICATION NO.  
161-BJ-7103 REVISION A, DATED 17 MARCH 1976. AINDEF REQUESTS  
ALL 7 AIRPLANES COMPLETELY NEW. ALL "VENDOR" ITEMS SHOULD BE  
OF SAME MAKE AND MODEL. FINALLY, MINDEF WANTS NIGERIAN AIR  
FORCE TO HAVE DIRECT CONTACT WITH MANUFACTURER FOR  
PROCUREMENT OF SPARES.

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3. PLEASE INITIATE DRAFT SALES AGREEMENT EARLIEST AND ADVISE.  
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## Message Attributes

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